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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

PERNOD RICARD USA, LLC,)
Plaintiff	
V.	10 Civ 1567 (PAC)
LUXCO, INC.,	
Defendant)
)

AFFIRMATION OF PHILIPPE ZIMMERMAN IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO DISMISS THE COMPLAINT

PHILLIPE ZIMMERMAN, an attorney admitted to practice before the Courts of the State of New York, affirms the following to be true under penalty of perjury:

1. I am a partner of Moses & Singer LLP, co-counsel for Defendant Luxco, Inc. ("Luxco"), in the above-referenced matter. I am fully familiar with the matters set forth herein

and respectfully submit this affidavit in support of Defendant Luxco, Inc.'s Motion to Dismiss

the Amended Complaint (the "Motion").

2. On or about October 14, 2010, Plaintiff, Pernod Ricard USA, LLC ("Plaintiff"),

filed an Amended Complaint. (Dkt. 7). A true and accurate copy of the Amended Complaint is

annexed hereto as Exhibit 1.

3. On December 30, 2010, on behalf of Luxco, I wrote the Court a letter requesting

a pre-motion conference in connection with Luxco's anticipated motion to dismiss the Amended

Complaint. A true and accurate copy of the letter is annexed hereto as Exhibit 2.

4. On January 4, 2011, Plaintiff, by its attorney, David H. Bernstein of Debevoise &

Plimpton LLC, responded to my letter. A true and accurate copy of Plaintiff's letter is annexed

hereto as Exhibit 3.

5. On January 11, 2011, the Court held a pre-motion conference concerning Luxco's

contemplated motion.

6. At the conference, a briefing schedule was agreed upon in connection with

Luxco's contemplated motion to dismiss pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(6).

Dated: New York, New York

January 21, 2011

PHILIPPE ZIMMERMAN

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